Please type or select the requested information. Print completed forms, add appropriate paper attachments, and route through MSU's curricular process for recommendations and decisions.

College: Business
Department: Finance
Program: Finance
(Check all that apply): □ Graduate □ Undergraduate
Proposal #: 129
Effective Date of Change: Academic Year 05
(For Office Use Only)
Course Designator Number of Credits
and Number

Type of Change: PROGRAM PROPOSALS
Proposed: Change in Requirements-Course(s) Added
Title Current: Finance
Title Proposed: Finance
24-Char. Abbrev: (if applicable)

Include a course or program description for the Bulletin (30-40 words maximum for courses, 100 for programs):
The objective of the department is to prepare students for entry-level positions in finance, insurance, or real estate. Four area of emphasis are available within this major.
The undergraduate finance program deals with the theory, organization and operations of the financial system from both the social and managerial perspectives. Students are expected to develop expertise in making organizational and personal judgments and decisions involving financial data. Additionally, students present their analyses in both written and oral form.
Students may select and complete one or more of the following emphases: Corporate Finance, Institutional Finance, Financial Planning and Insurance, Investment Analysis.

Rationale or Justification for change:
This change will allow students more flexibility in putting together a combination of courses which will better help them develop a specialization within the general area of finance.

***For General Education or Cultural Diversity Courses Only***

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For Writing Intensive Courses, attach a description of the kind and quantity of writing.
For Upper Division Courses, include a description of the respects in which it is broad and general rather than narrow and specific, and so suitable as GE.

Attach paper copies of the following:
- Syllabus or course outline.
- Course's student learning outcomes associated with each GE competency or CD designation.
- List of strategies to be used to assess students' achievement of each GE competency or CD designation.

***For New Courses***

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Other courses are being changed or eliminated. (Explain.)

Course content or title is similar to courses in other departments. (Attach copy of letter of agreement with other program(s) contacted. Indicate the nature of the discussions and/or resolution of differences or potential conflicts.)

Attach paper copies of the following:
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- Course's student learning outcomes.
- A list of resources required to offer and support this course.
- A description of how teaching this course will affect department staffing.
- If 400/500 level course, an explanation of added expectations of graduate students.

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